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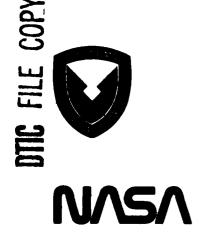
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Summary

The analysis procedure of an existing computer program for predicting the off-design performance of radial-inflow turbines was extensively modified to improve its accuracy and to extend its applicability. The rotor inlet slip factor correlation was replaced by one that includes rotor blade sweep. At the rotor exit a sector analysis was used in place of the original mean-line analysis to model the large radial variations occurring there. Disk friction, clearance, and vaneless space losses were added to the loss model, and the method of computing trailing-edge loss was changed. Finally, the entire analysis procedure was recoded.

The resulting computer program, called RTOD (Radial Turbine Off-Design), predicts the performance of a radial turbine (with or without rotor blade sweep) as a function of pressure ratio, speed, and stator setting. The program models the flow with stator viscous and trailing-edge losses; a vaneless space loss between the stator and the rotor; and rotor incidence, viscous, trailing-edge, clearance, and disk friction losses. The stator and rotor viscous losses each represent the combined effects of profile, endwall, and secondary flow losses. The stator inlet and exit and rotor inlet flows are modeled by a mean-line analysis, but a sector analysis is used at the rotor exit. For a pivoting stator the leakage flow through the clearance gap is accounted for.

This report describes the program modeling changes and, for completeness, presents all analysis equations. The program input and output, including error messages, are also described and are illustrated with an example case.

Comparing calculated results with experimental data shows that the revised program predicts mass flow rate better than does the original program. Calculated results are also used to illustrate the potential improvement in off-design performance offered by rotor back-sweep for high-work-factor radial turbines.

Introduction

The radial turbine has been used extensively in automotive turbochargers and aircraft auxiliary power units and has recently been given serious consideration for primary powerplant application for both automobiles and rotorcraft. In automotive and rotorcraft applications the turbine operates over a wide range of power settings and requires accurate off-design performance prediction for a successful design.

A computer code for the off-design performance analysis of radial-inflow turbines is described in reference 1, and additions to this program for variable-area stators are reported in reference 2. Although this program has

been used extensively, it still requires modifications to extend its accuracy and applicability. Current interest in highly loaded radial turbines has resulted in designs having rotor back-sweep, a feature that this program cannot accommodate. Also, the analysis model, as shown in reference 1, predicts too low a value for mass flow in the region of rotor choke. In addition, the loss model does not include all of the losses present in the design program of reference 3, and the trailing-edge loss does not properly account for the effect of variable stator angle.

To overcome these deficiencies, extensive modifications were made to the analysis model. The rotor slip factor equation was replaced by one that includes rotor blade sweep. A sector analysis, similar to that of reference 3, was used at the rotor exit in place of the mean-line calculation. Disk friction, clearance, and vaneless space losses were added to the loss model, and the stator and rotor trailing-edge loss equations were changed. Finally, the entire procedure was recoded.

The resulting computer program, called RTOD (Radial Turbine Off-Design), which is described in this report, computes off-design performance of a radial turbine by modeling the flow with stator viscous and trailing-edge losses; with a vaneless space loss between the stator and the rotor; and with rotor incidence, viscous, clearance, trailing-edge, and disk friction losses. RTOD can analyze a variable stator, including the leakage flow in the clearance gap. Furthermore, RTOD determines the rotor exit flow variation from hub to tip and can account for the effect of swept rotor blading. The user must specify the stator and rotor viscous losses (which represent the combined effects of profile, endwall, and secondary flow loss) to match a reference performance point. RTOD then calculates the turbine performance over a specified operating range.

For the sake of completeness this report describes all of the modeling assumptions, but with emphasis on recent modifications, comprised in the computer program RTOD. The program input and output are described and the use of the program is illustrated by example problems. Results obtained from this program and from the program of reference 1 are compared with experimental data. RTOD can be obtained from the Computer Software Management Information Center (COSMIC), University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia 30602.

Analysis Modification

This section describes the changes that were made to the previous analysis method and loss model of references 1 and 2. The described losses are applied at or between the flow stations shown in figure 1. Station 0 is the station upstream of the stator, station 1 is just inside the stator trailing edge, and station 2 is immediately downstream of the stator trailing edge. Station 3 is upstream of the rotor, station 4 is just inside the rotor trailing edge, and station 5 is immediately downstream of the rotor trailing edge.

Rotor Analysis

The rotor analysis was extended to include a slip factor correlation that can account for swept rotor blading. Also, at the rotor exit a sector analysis replaces the previous mean-line analysis. The details are as follows (all symbols defined in appendix A):

Slip factor. – In reference 1 the optimum rotor inlet tangential velocity is calculated from the Stanitz slip factor correlation

$$V_{u,3,\text{opt}} = U_3 \left(1 - \frac{1.98}{N_{\text{bl}}} \right)$$

The Stanitz correlation is limited to radial blading only. RTOD uses the Wiesner slip factor correlation of reference 4, which is a function of blading (sweep) angle. The correlation, when adapted to a turbine geometry, takes the form

obtained from the velocity diagram work by subtracting the losses due to disk friction and tip clearance. This means that the sector velocity diagrams are not consistent with the shaft output work.

Loss Model

In reference 1 the losses through the stator and the rotor are each modeled by a single overall loss. In RTOD a vaneless space loss (between stations 2 and 3) was added, as well as a rotor disk friction and tip clearance loss. Furthermore, the method of calculating trailing-edge pressure drop was changed. These changes are discussed in this section.

Vaneless space loss. – The program of reference 1 assumes no pressure drop from the stator exit to the rotor inlet (between stations 2 and 3). In RTOD the total pressure drop is obtained from

$$\Delta p' = \frac{4fl\rho V^2}{2D_h g_c}$$

where f is the Fanning friction factor for parallel walls and l is a length based on an average flow angle between

$$V_{u,3,\text{opt}} = U_3 \left(\frac{\left[1 - \sqrt{\cos \alpha_{\text{bl}}} / (N_{\text{bl}})^{0.7} \right] \left\{ 1 - \left[(r_{4,\text{av}} / r_3 - \epsilon_{\text{lim}}) / (1 - \epsilon_{\text{lim}}) \right]^3 \right\}}{1 - \tan \alpha_{\text{bl}} / \tan \alpha_3} \right)$$

For radial-bladed rotors (no blade sweep) the difference between the two correlations is quite small. For the example 1 turbine the Wiesner correlation predicts an optimum inlet tangential velocity 2.7 percent less than that predicted by the Stanitz correlation. The full incidence loss calculation procedure is shown by equations (B71) to (B82).

Exit sectors. – The program of reference 1 analyses the rotor exit at a mean radius only. In RTOD the rotor exit is divided into a specified number of sectors that are coupled by simple radial equilibrium

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{\rho V_u^2}{rg_c}$$

Temperature, pressure, and velocity are calculated for each sector (eqs. (B94) to (B106)), and overall values of mass flow and work are obtained by summing the individual sector values. These calculations take into account the viscous loss, since a viscous rotor loss coefficient is specified for each sector. The disk friction and tip clearance losses, however, are of an overall nature and do not reflect hub-to-tip variations. The shaft output work is

stator outlet and rotor inlet. The calculation procedure is given by equations (B45) to (B54).

Rotor disk friction loss. – The program of reference 1 does not calculate a separate disk friction loss but lumps all losses (viscous, disk friction, clearance, and trailing edge) into one overall loss coefficient. In RTOD the following expression from reference 3 is used for the disk friction loss (eq. (B129)):

$$L_{\rm df} = \frac{0.02125 \,\rho_3 U_{3}^2 r_3^2}{g_c J w_{\rm tot}(\rho_3 U_3 r_3/\mu)^{0.2}}$$

Rotor tip clearance loss. – The following expression from reference 3 is used in RTOD to calculate the rotor tip clearance loss (eq. (B130):

$$L_{\rm cl} = \frac{2\Delta h_{3-5}'(h_{\rm cl}/2r_{4,\rm tip})}{(1 - r_{4,\rm hub}/r_{4,\rm tip})}$$

The formulation assumes that the fractional loss due to clearance is equal to the ratio of clearance to passage height at the rotor exit.

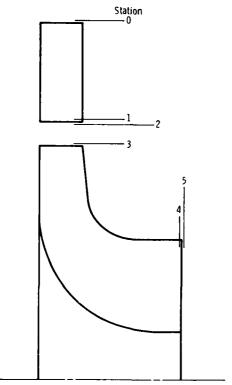


Figure 1. - Radial turbine schematic and station identification.

Trailing-edge pressure drop. - Reference 1 assumes no loss in total pressure across the stator or rotor trailing edges (stations 1 to 2 and 4 to 5, respectively). This is contrary to observed results, since it is known that a total pressure drop does occur, although it is usually small. Reference 2 assumes that static pressure remains constant across trailing edges. Although this assumption gives a drop in total pressure, the predicted total pressure drop decreases as the flow angle is increased. This is again contrary to observed results and will cause errors when analyzing a pivoting stator. The expressions for total pressure drop across the stator and rotor trailing edges used in RTOD were obtained from the expression for one-dimensional, compressible fluid flow with sudden area increase. The assumed expressions, although not based on rigorous analysis, predict the correct trend of total pressure loss with flow angle. Furthermore, the predicted levels of loss appear reasonable. For the stator the drop in total pressure is expressed by (eq. (B39))

$$\Delta p' = \left(1 - \frac{V_{r,2}}{V_{r,1}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{\rho_1 V_1^2}{2g_c}\right)$$

and for the rotor it is (eq. (B113))

$$\Delta p' = \left(1 - \frac{V_5 \cos \alpha_5}{V_{x,4}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{\rho_4 V_4^2}{2g_c}\right)$$

Program Input

The program input consists of a title card, the gas properties, the turbine geometry description, and the parameters that specify the desired calculation options. Except for the title card, all data input is in NAMELIST format. Data may be input in either SI or U.S. customary units

Figure 2 identifies the angle and the angle sign convention used in RTOD. At the stator and the rotor inlet, all angles are defined from a radial line; at the rotor exit, angles are defined from an axial line. Figure 3 is a graphic representation of the geometry input variables, and figure 4 shows the example 1 data input.

All input variables are listed in table I, along with the required units, the default values, and the type of variables needed (real or integer).

The user must specify the viscous stator and viscous rotor losses (PR10 or EBR3D for the stator and XKR for

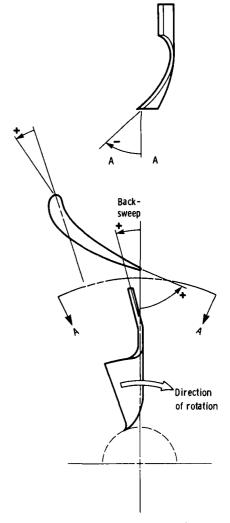
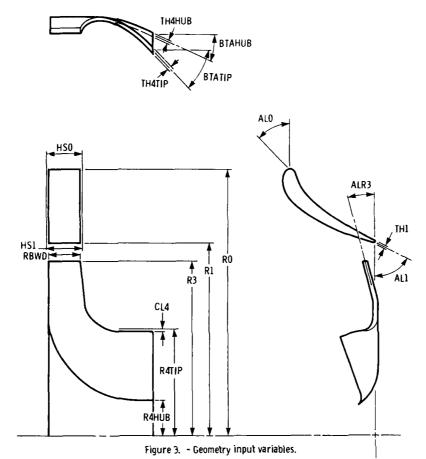


Figure 2. - RTOD angle sign convention.



the rotor) such that the RTOD prediction matches two performance parameters (usually flow and work or flow and efficiency) at a particular pressure ratio. The parameters to be matched can either be design-point values obtained from a design-point program or test data.

Program Output

The program output is in either SI or U.S. customary units, corresponding to the chosen input units. The output consists of a printout of the title card, all input data, and one of three chosen levels of output as described in this section. The RTOD data printout corresponding to the input data of figure 4 is shown in figure 5.

Short Output

The short output consists of a tabulation of 12 overall parameters for each calculated operating point. Figure 6 shows the short output corresponding to the input data of figure 4. Note that the rotor chokes and that the value of stator exit critical velocity ratio $(V/V_{\rm cr})_1$ at rotor choke is

printed out. Also, the rotor limit load point is identified. The parameters in the short output are as follows (with the corresponding equations in parentheses):

- (1) Equivalent flow (B148)
- (2) Equivalent work (B150)
- (3) Actual flow (B44)
- (4) Actual work (B131)
- (5) Equivalent power (B151)
- (6) Equivalent torque (B152)
- (7) Equivalent p_0'/p_5 (B153)
- (8) Equivalent p_0^2/p_5^2 (B154)
- (9) Blade-jet speed ratio (B162)
- (10) Work factor (B161)
- (11) Static efficiency (B134)
- (12) Total efficiency (B135)

Medium Output

The medium-output option gives the same tabulation of overall parameters as the short output and also gives tabulated velocity, temperature, pressure, and flow angle information at stations 0 to 5. At stations 3 to 5 the information is presented for both the absolute and relative frames of reference, and at stations 4 and 5 (rotor exit) the information is presented for the hub, mid, and

tip sectors only. If an even number of sectors is specified, the midpoint sector is taken to be the sector above the mean radius. The medium-output option also presents additional information for stations 1, 3, and 5. For the most part this information is self-explanatory, except for these items:

Station 1

EBR3D three-dimensional kinetic energy loss

coefficient, e_{3D}, as specified; or, if total pressure ratio was specified,

calculated from equation (B3)

P1T/P0T

total pressure ratio, p_1'/p_0' (input parameter PR10), as specified; or if e_{3D} was specified, calculated from equation

V/VCR AT **MAX FLOW** critical velocity ratio $(V/V_{cr})_{i}$ that produces maximum value of mainstream flow $(\rho V)_1$ (equal to 1.0 if p_1'/p_0' was specified; less than 1.0 if

e_{3D} was specified).

blockage, defined by ratio of vane trailing-edge tangential thickness to

vane trailing-edge spacing

Station 3

BL1

REL. T. PR. relative total pressure after incidence AFTER INCID. loss, a fictitious pressure that shows the

LOSS effect of incidence

U3 rotor inlet tip speed

Figure 7 shows the medium output for a $(V/V_{cr})_1$ of 0.6 only (for the example input of fig. 4, except that OPT = 1). The output shown is produced for every value of $(V/V_{cr})_1$ in its specified range.

TABLE I. - INPUT VARIABLES

Input parameter	Description and units	Variable type ^a	Default value
	Overall input variables		
TITLE	Title card (up to 80 alphanumeric characters)		
IUNTS	Type of units (O for U.S. customary, 1 for SI)	I	0
TOT	Total temperature at station O, K (°R)	R	
POT	Total pressure at station O, N/cm ² (psia)	1	
G	Specific heat ratio		
R	Gas constant, J/kg-K (ft-lbf/lbm-°R)		
XMU	Gas viscosity, kg/m-s (lbm/ft-s)	. ♦	
ОРТ	Output option: 0 - short output 1 - medium output 2 - long output	I	0
	Stator input variables		
NSTV	Number of stator vanes	R	
CLFR1	Stator total clearance (hub and tip) as fraction of passage height at trailing edge		0.0
AL0	Flow inlet angle at station O, deg		
AL1	Stator exit blade angle at station 1, deg		
RO	Radius at station O, cm (in.)		
R1	Radius at station 1, cm (in.)		
нѕо	Passage height (including clearance) at stator inlet, cm (in.)		
HS1	Passage height (including clearance) at stator exit, cm (in.)		
THI	Vane trailing-edge normal thickness, cm (in.)	+	
IOPTS	Option for stator loss calculation:	I	1
	1 - user specifies p ₁ /p ₀		
	2 - user specifies \overline{e}_{3D}		
PR10	Specified ratio of p_1/p_0' (input only if IOPTS = 1)	R	0.98
EBR3D	Specified value of \vec{e}_{30} (input only if IOPTS = 2)		0.055
VRSTRT	Initial value of (V/V) at station 1 (must be subsonic)		
VRSTOP	Final value of (V/V _C) (must be greater than VRSTRT)		
DELVR	Incremental change in (V/V) between VRSTRT and VRSTOP	↓	

TABLE I. - Concluded.

Input parameter	Description and units	Variable type ^a	Default value
	Rotor input variables		
NREL	Number of full rotor blades extending from inlet to output	R	
ISPL	Splitter blades (O for no splitters, 1 for splitters)	I	0
RP M	Rotative speed, rpm	Ř	
ALR3	Rotor inducer sweep angle (0.0 for radial blade), deg	1	0.0
R3	Radius at station 3, cm (in.)		
RBWD	Rotor "b" width at station 3, cm (in.)		
R4HUB	Rotor exit hub radius, cm (in.)		
R4TIP	Rotor exit tip radius, cm (in.)		
CL4	Clearance height at rotor exit, cm (in.)	\	
NSCT4	Specified number of equal height sectors at rotor exit (25 max)	1	
OPBTA4	Rotor exit blade angle distribution option 0 - user	I	1
BETA4	Rotor exit blade angle for each sector (hub to tip; input only if OPBTA4 = 0), deg	R	
8 TAHUB	Rotor exit blade angle at hub (input only if OPBTA4 = 1), deg	R	
BTATIP	Rotor exit blade angle at tip (input only if OPBTA4 = 1), deg	R	
OPTH4	Rotor exit normal thickness distribution option: 0 - user specifies normal thickness for each sector 1 - program linearly interpolates for normal thickness at each sector from input TH4HUB and TH4TIP	I	1
TH4	Rotor exit normal thickness for each sector (hub to tip; input only if OPTH4 = 0), cm (in.)	R	
TH4HUB	Rotor exit normal thickness at hub (input only if OPTH4 = 1), cm (in.)		İ
TH4TIP	Rotor exit normal thickness at tip (input only if OPTH4 = 1), cm (in.)		
XKR	Rotor viscous loss coefficient for each sector (hub to tip)		
PNEGI	Power in incidence loss expression (for negative incidence)		2.50
PPOSI	Power in incidence loss expression (for positive incidence)		1.75
P4RDPC	Incremental percentage reduction in pressure at rotor exit after rotor choke	↓	10.0

^aI denotes integer; R denotes real.

4.59 INCH RADIAL TURBINE IN AIR \$BATT TOT=518.7, POT=14.696, G=1.4, R=53.35, XMU=1.216E-5, NSTU=14., ALC=45., ALL=72.0, RO=2.888, RL=2.345, HSO=.5771, HS1=.5771, IOPTS=1, PRIO=.987, VRSTRT=.30, VRSTDP=1.20, DELVR=.05, TH1=.02293, NRBL=11., ISPL=1, RPM=29550., R3=2.295, RBMD=.5771, R4HUB=.572, R4TIP=1.646, CL4=.0145, NSCT4=11, DTRTA4=1, BTAHUB=-32.50, BTATIP=-56.70, OPTH4=1, TH4HUB=.077, TH4TIP=.038, XNR=11*.240, OPT=0 &END

Figure 4. - Example 1 data input,

Long Output

The long output is similar to the medium output, except that for stations 4 and 5 the tabulated inputs are presented for each sector. Also, additional rotor loss information is presented. For the most part this information is again self-explanatory, except for the following items:

EQUIVALENT SPEED defined by equation (B149)
SPECIFIC DIAM. specific diameter; defined by equation (B160)

SPECIFIC SPEED defined by equation (B159)

The long output also presents a further tabulation of the following items for each sector at stations 4 and 5:

Station 4

R4	radius associated with midpoint of
BL4	blockage for each sector; defined by ratio of free flow area at station 4 to
	free flow area at station 5
W/WCR AT	value of $(W/W_{cf})_4$ that produces

4.59 INCH RADIAL TURBINE IN AIR

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NRBL=0.1100E 02 ALR3= 0.0000 RAHUB=0.5720E 00 NSCT4= 11 OFTH4= 1 TH4HUB=0.7700E-01	DEG, IN, ,	ISFL= 1 R3=0.2295E 01 R4TIF=0.1646E 01 TH4TIP=0.3800E-01	,	RPM=0.2955E 05 RBWD=0.5771E 00 CL4=0.1450E-01	RFM, IN, IN,
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Figure 5. - RTOD data printout (corresponding to fig. 4 data input).

V/VCR)1	EQUIV. FLOW (LBM/ SEC)	EQUIV. WORK (BTU/ LBM)	ACTUAL FLOW (LBM/ SEC)	ACTUAL NORK (BTU/ LBH)	EQUIV. POWER (HP)	EQUIV. TORQUE (FT*LBF)	EQUIV. POT/PS	EQUIV. POT/PST	BLADE-JET SPEED RATIO	WORK FACTOR	STATIC EFFIC.	TOTAL EFFIC.
0.3000	0.3769	4.6418	0.3769	4.6421	2.4756	0.4400	1.2412	1.2099	0.9689	0.3425	0.6230	0.7041
0.3500	0.4337	6.1643	0.4337	6.1546	3,7830	9.6724	1.2874	1.2571	0.8983	0.4520	0.7112	0.7827
0.4000	0.4878	7.6727	0.4878	7.6732	5.2962	0.9414	1.3395	1.3085	0.8375	0.5606	0.7695	0.8338
0.4500	0.5389	9,1776	0.5388	9.1782	6.9979	1.2438	1.3998	1.3660	0.7832	0.6692	0.8049	0.8549
0.5000	0.5865	10.6883	0.5865	10.6890	8.8703	1.5766	1.4712	1.4320	0.7336	0.7783	0.8223	0.8808
0.5500	0.6305	12.2155	0.6305	12.2162	10.8994	1.9373	1.5575	1.5090	0.6875	0.8886	0.8255	0.8850
0.6000	0.6707	13,7671	0.6706	13.7679	13.0643	2.3221	1.6623	1.5989	0.6448	1.0008	0.8185	0.8815
0.6500	0.7068	15.3593	0.7066	15.3602	15.3556	2.7293	1.7930	1.7058	0.6048	1.1160	0.8032	0.8721
0.7000	0.7381	17.0213	0.7391	17.0223	17.7751	3.1594	1.9637	1.8373	0.5661	1.2362	0.7799	0.8573
0.7500	0.7651	18.8252	0.7651	18.8263	20.3776	3.6219	2.2084	2.0099	0.5267	1.3668	0.7467	0.8365
0.8000	0.7873	21.1710	0.7873	21.1723	23.5866	4.1923	2.7154	2.3076	0.4757	1.5366	0.6851	0.8004
0.8962	0.7898	21,9757	0.7897	21.9769	24.5496	4.3635	3.0194	2.4488	0.4556	1.5949	0.6522	0.7821
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0.8062	0.7898	22.7041	0.7897	22.7055	25.3634	4.5091	3.4813	2.6337	0.4330	1.6477	0.6085	0.7548
0.8062	0.7898	22.9340	9.7897	22.9353	25.6201	4.5538	3.7375	2.7322	0.4231	1.5644	0.5869	0.7382
	0.7878	22.9130	0.7897	22,9943	25,6860	4.5655	3.9505	2,7747	0.4193	1.6686	0.5779	0.7305

Figure 6. - RTOD short output for figure 4 data input,

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0.600))) (.a ⁷ 07	13.7071	0.670	06 13.7e79	7 13.0543	2.3221	1.6623	1.5989	0.6448	1.0008	0.8185	0.881
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SECTOR)	WCR (FT/S)	W/WCR	MU/WCR	WR(WX)/WCR	(R)	(R)	(FSIA)	(FSIA)	(DEG)			
1 2 3	1019.1802 1019.1802 1019.1802 1019.1802	0.6000 0.5960 0.6095	0.1197 0.5706 0.5706 0.5831	0.1854 0.1721 0.1775	518.7000 518.7000 518.7000	486.5876	14.5050 14.4916 14.4669	14.4516 11.6806 11.7042 11.5673	71.9999 23.2137 73.0723			
	989.8862 959.0784		0.0025		489.3105 459.3274				6,7764 			
41 51	960.0049 960.7744	0.3009	0.0012	0.3009	460.2151	453.2712 454.6897	9.2145	8.7370 8.7373	0.1269 2.4163			
4(1)\F) 4(6)(E)		0.3594 0.4195	-0.1989 -0.2945	0.2993	462,2937 466,9673	452,3423 453,2712	9.4252 9.6964	9.7350	-33.8000 -44.5999 55.5979			
5(1) 5. st	959.0784 920.0049	0.2231 0.2503	-0.0326		459.3274 460.2151	455,5159 455,0198	9.1831 9.2060	8.9192 8.8474	-8.4009 0.2624 2.6314		. 4	· = =
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Figure 7. - RTOD medium output at $(V'V_{CT})_1 = 0.6$ for figure 4 data input.

MAX FLOW maximum (choking) value of $(\rho W)_4$ (always less than 1.0)

U4 rotor sector speed

Station 5

AEROD. ETA sector aerodynamic static efficiency; defined by equation (B127)

AEROD. ETAT sector aerodynamic total efficiency; defined by equation (B128)

WM(K)/WMTOT fraction of total weight flow passed by each sector

Figure 8 shows the long output for a $(V/V_{cr})_1$ of 0.6 only (for the example input of fig. 4, except that OPT = 2).

The long output shown is produced for every value of $(V/V_{cr})_1$ in its specified range.

Error Messages

All DO-loops in RTOD have appropriate error messages that are printed out if convergence is not achieved. The specified convergence criteria are defined by the ratio of the absolute value of the new value minus the old value to the old value and are usually required to be less than 1×10^{-4} . These are tight tolerances, but no DO-loop has ever failed to converge for physically possible flow.

(4/40	-	EQUIV. FLOW (LRM/ SEC)	EQUIV. WORK (RTU LBM)	ACTU FLOW (LRM/ SEC)	WORK	EQUIV. FOWER (HP)	EQUIV, TORQUE (FT*LBF)	EQUIV, FOT/PS	EQUIV. FOI/FST	BLADE~JET Speed ratio	WORK FACTOR	STATIC EFFIC.	TOTAL EFFIC.
0.60	000	0.5707	13.7671	0.67	06 13.7679	13.0643	2.3221	1.6623	1.5989	0.6448	1.0008	0.8185	0.8815
STATION (AND SECTOR)		VCR OR NCR	V/VCR OR W/WCR	OR	VR(VX)/VCR OR WR(WX)/WCR	ΤŢ	٢	FT	Ł.	FLOW ANGLE			
	١F	T/\$)				(F)	(R)	(FSIA)	(FSJA)	(DEG)			
0	1019	.1802	0.1693	0.1197	0.1197	518.7000	516.2205	14.6960	14.4516	45.0000			
1		.1802	0.6000	0.5706			487.5779	14.5050	11.6806	71.9998			
2		.1802	0.5960	0.5706		518.7000		14.4916	11.7042	73.2136			
3		1802	0.6095	0.5831		518.7000			11.5673	73.0722			
3(F)	دنو .		0.1827	0.0025	0.1827	489.3105	486.5876	11.7955	11.5673	0.7704			
4(1)	959	.0784	0.3021	-0.0326	0.3003	459.3274		9.2163	8.7350	-6.1954			-
4(2)	959	. 2175	0.3015	-0.0237		459.4604		9.2159	8.7362	-4.5008			
4 (3)		.34.6	0.3015	-0.9159		459.6274		9.2153	8.7368	-3.0167			
41 41		.5884	0.3015	-0.0092			452.8477	9.2166	8.7370	-1.7400			
4 (5)		-7964	0.3014	-0.0035		450.0151		9.2163	8.7370	-0.6631			
4(5)		.0049	0.3009	0.0012		460.2151		9.2145	8.7370	0.2268			
4(7)		.2041	0.2997	0.0049		460.4063		9.2107	8.7370	0.9447			
4(8)		.3867 .5454	0.2977	0.0078		460.5813		9.2043	8.7371	1.5058			
4(10)		.5454 .6760	0.2948 0.2908	0.0099 0.0113		460.7336		9.1949	8.7371	1.9278			
4:11/		.7744	0.2855	0.0120		450.9589 460.9534		9.1822 9.1659	8.7372 8.7373	2,2257 2,4162			
								7 • 1 0 3 7					
4(-1)(R)			0.3594	-0.1989	0.2993	462.2937	452.3423	9.4262	8.7350	-33.6000			
4 (-2) (R)			0.3692	-0.2160	0.2995	463.0173	452.4976	9.4680	8.7362	-35.6000			
4(-3)(R)			0.3803	-0.2341		463.3467		9.5158	8.7368				
4(4)(R)			0.3925	-0.2533		464.7813		9.5697		-40.2000			
4 (5 \ R)		3.8345	0.4056	-0.2735		465.8215		9.6299	8.7370				
4 (5)(R) 4 (7)(P)			0.4195 0.4341	-0.2945 -0.3164		466,9673 468.2185		9.6964 9.7694	8.7370 8.7370				
4: 8)(F			0.4341	-0.3391		469.5754		9.8489	8.7371				
4(9)(6)			0.4650	-0.3624		471.0376		9.9350	8.7371				
4(10)(8)			0.4813	-0.3863		472.6055		10.0277	8.7372				
4/11 11 R	, פרס	5627	0.4978	-0.4108	0.2812	474.2788	454.6897	10.1273	9.7373	-55.5998			
5/ 1)		.0784	0.2231		0.7007	459,3274		9,1831	9.9192	-8.4004			-
5 (2)		7.2175	0.2341	-0.0326 -0.0237		459.4604		9.1920	8.9015	-5.8013			
5 3		3915	0.2429	-0.0159		459.6274		9.1984	9.3856	-3.7447			
(4)		.5884	0.2501	-0.0092		459.8159		9.2029	8.8715	-2.0980			
5(5)		7.79.4	0.2555	-0.0035		450.0151		9.2055	8.8588	-0.7812			
5(6)		.0349	0.2:03	0.0012		460.2151		9.2060	8.8474	0.2623			
5: 7:		-2041	0.1634	0.0049		460.4063		9.2037	8.8368	1.0751			
- B)		1.3967	0.2652	0.0078		450.5813		9.1988	8.8270	1.0900			
5, 9,		.5454	0.2656	0.0079		460.7336		9.1905	9.8178	2.1399			
5(10)		-6760	0.2646	0.0113		460.3584		9.1786	8.8091	2.4458			
5(11)	4.50	.7743	0.2822	0.0120	6.2953	450,9534	411.5709	9.1631	8.9008	2.6313			

Figure 8. - RTOD long output at (V) $V_{CT}^{1}_{1}$ = 0.6 for figure 4 data input,

Main Program

The user can specify geometries and operating conditions that have no flow solutions. For low flow rates (small specified values of $V/V_{\rm cr}$ at station 1) it may not be possible to pass the flow at station 4 while maintaining radial equilibrium. In a real turbine the flow would be passed but with separated or reversed flow in portions of the rotor exit. However, RTOD cannot account for that situation, and if it occurs, the following error message is printed out:

STATION 4 HAS NOT CONVERGED IN 25 ITERATIONS FOR $(V/VCR)1 = x.xxxxx \pm xx$

ROTOR WEIGHT FLOW = $xxxxxx \pm xx$, STATOR WEIGHT FLOW = $x.xxxxx \pm xx$

After this message, program execution starts over with

the next specified value of stator exit critical velocity ratio.

Subroutine MAXVAL

Subroutine MAXVAL calculates the maximum value of density times velocity ρV and the associated critical velocity ratio at the stator and rotor exits (stations 1 and 4). The input points must define a curve that shows a maximum somewhere in the specified interval (other than at the end points). If unrealistically large values of stator or rotor loss are specified, the shape of the generated curve may not exhibit the required characteristic. If this happens, the following error message is printed out:

WARNING--THE CURVE TO BE MAXIMIZED IN SUBROUTINE MAXVAL IS NOT OF THE PROPER FORM

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PRIMARY WEIGHT FLOW = 0.6706E 00 (LEM/S)
                                                                 SPECIFIED PRIMARY FLOW ANGLE = 0.7200F 02
   CLEARANCE WEIGHT FLOW = 0.0000
                                                                    ACTUAL FRIMARY FLOW ANGLE = 0.7200E 02
                                        (LBM/S)
                                                                                                                (BEG)
      TOTAL WEIGHT FLOW = 0.6706E 00
                                                                         CLEARANCE FLOW ANGLE =
                                                                             U/UCR AT MAX FIGH = 0.1000F 01
                   ERR3D = 0.5523E-01
                 F1T/F0T = 0.9870E 00
                                                                                            RL1 = 0.7051F-01
        OFTIMUM BETA = -.2060E 02 (DEG)
INCIDENCE ANGLE = 0.2137E 02 (DEG)
                                                                REL. T. PR. AFTER INCID. LOSS = 0.1177E 02
                                                                                             U3 = 0.5918F 03 (FI/S)
      MASS AVERAGED TS = 0.4553E 03 (R)
                                                                MASS AVG. DELH (STA. 0 TO 5) = 0.1682E 02
      MASS AVERAGED TST = 0.4504E 03
                                                                MASS AVG. DELHT (STA. 0 TO 5) = 0.1562E 02
MASS AVG. FOWER (STA. 0 TO 5) = 0.1482E 02
                                                                                                                (RTU/LBM)
          P5 AT THE HUB = 0.8918E 01
                                        (PSIA)
       PS AT THE SHROUD = 0.8801E 01
                                        (PSIA)
                                                                MASS AVG. TORQUE(STA. 0 TO 5) = 0.2634E 01
             AVERAGE P5 = 0.8860E 01
                                        (PSIA)
            AVERAGE F5T = 0.9211E 01
     DELHT ACROSS ROTOR = 0.1400E 02
                                                                                 ACTUAL DELHT = 0.1377E 02
                                                                                                               (BTU/LBM)
     DISK FRICTION LOSS = 0.4306F-01
                                                                                          FOWER = 0.1306E 02
                                        (BTU/LBH)
     TIP CLEARANCE LOSS = 0.1890F 00
                                                                                 ACTUAL TORQUE = 0.2322E 01 (FT*LBF)
                                       (BTU/LRM)
       EQUIVALENT SPEED = 0.2955E 05
SPECIFIC SPEED = 0.7071E 00
                                                                                SPECIFIC DIAM. = 0.2677E 01
               STATION 4
                                                                     STATION 5
             €4
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SECTOR
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                         RI 4
                                   MAX FLOW
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        0.6208E 00 0.2547E 00 0.8653E 00
                                             0.1501E 03
                                                             0.8608E 00
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        0.7185E 00
                                              0.1853E 03
                                                             0.8557E 00
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        0.9161E 00
                    0.1855E 00 0.8453E 00
                                             0.2104E 03
                                                             0.8505E 00
                                                                          0.9089F 00
                                                                                       0.6354E-01
        0.9137E 00
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                                                             0.8453E 00
                                                                          0.9044E 00
                                                                                       0.8289E-01
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                                             0.2608E 03
                                                             0.8403E 00
        0.1011E 01
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                                                             0.8309E 00
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        9.1500E 01
                    0.8492E-01 0.8653E 00
                                              0.3867E 03
                                                             0.8197E 00
                                                                          0.8862E 00
        0.1597E 01 0.7717E-01 0.8653E 00
                                             0.4119E 03
                                                             0.8170E 00
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Figure 8. - Concluded

Program execution continues after this message. The value of ρV used is the greater of the two at the interval end points. The program user should reexamine and change the specified stator or rotor losses if this error message occurs.

Example Problems

A radial turbine that was tested in air at pressure ratios higher than choking is analyzed in this section, and the results are compared with experimental data, together with the results from the program of reference 1. Also, the same turbine is analyzed for various values of rotor back-sweep to illustrate the potential off-design performance improvements in high-work-factor turbines.

Example 1 - Comparison with Test Data and Reference 1 Code Prediction

Figure 9 shows a comparison of calculated versus experimental mass flow at 100- and 60-percent design speeds for the 11.66-cm (4.59-in.) diameter turbine of reference 5. The test data are previously unpublished air data that were used because they covered a wider range of pressure ratio (beyond rotor choke) than the published argon data. Both the RTOD and reference 1 code predictions were matched with data at the design equivalent total-to-static pressure ratio of 1.54. The RTOD results more closely predict the experimental mass flow rates at high pressure ratios. At both 100- and 60-percent design speeds, RTOD predicts an approximately 1 percent greater mass flow ratio than the reference 1 code. The improved mass flow prediction is attributed to the more

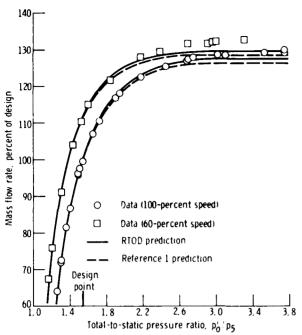


Figure 9. - Mass flow rate comparison.

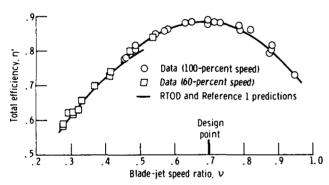


Figure 10. - Total efficiency comparison.

accurate geometry and flow modeling at the rotor trailing edge. Both the RTOD and reference 1 code total efficiency predictions agree closely with test data as shown in figure 10.

Although the RTOD mass flow predictions are an improvement over the reference 1 code predictions, they still underpredict choking weight flow. At 100-percent design speed the RTOD prediction is 1.63 percent below test results; while at 60-percent speed it is 2.28 percent low. This discrepancy could be caused by the basic rotor loss modeling scheme. Rotor viscous loss is taken to be a function of rotor relative inlet and exit velocities squared (eq. (B87)), multiplied by a loss coefficient (input parameter XKR) that is assumed to remain constant. This assumption forces the calculated maximum mass flow rate per unit area to occur at low values of rotor exit relative critical velocity ratio $((W/W_{cr})_1 = 0.87$ in example 1). Proper variation of the rotor loss coefficient with relative flow velocity might improve the choking mass flow prediction.

Example 2 - Effects of Rotor Back-Sweep

To illustrate the effects of rotor back-sweep, the example 1 turbine was analyzed with assumed back-sweep angles of 15° and 30°. The predicted total efficiencies are shown in figure 11. For high values of work factor (the region where modern radial turbines are likely to operate) the falloff in efficiency is less with back-sweep than for a radial-bladed rotor (because the incidence is lower).

National Aeronautics and Space Administration Lewis Research Center Cleveland, Ohio, March 25, 1983.

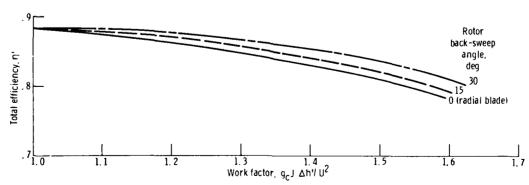


Figure 11. - Effect of rotor back-sweep on calculated total efficiency for example 1 turbine.

Appendix A Symbols

A	area, m ² (ft ²)	•	parameter defined by eq. (B157)
BL4	ratio of blocked area at station 4 to free flow	€lim	parameter defined by eq. (B73)
	area at station 5	η	efficiency
CLFR1	ratio of total clearance area to total passage	$\theta_{ m cr}$	parameter defined by eq. (B155)
	area at station 1	μ	viscosity, kg/m-s (lbm/ft-s)
D_h	hydraulic diameter, m (ft); defined by eq. (B46)	ν	loading coefficient (blade-jet speed ratio); defined by eq. (B162)
D_s	specific diameter; defined by eq. (B160)	ρ	density, kg/m ³ (lbm/ft ³)
e_{3D}	three-dimensional kinetic energy loss coefficient; defined by eq. (B3)	$rac{\psi}{\Omega}$	work factor; defined by eq. (B161) rotational speed, rpm
f	friction factor	42	Totational speed, Ipin
g_c	force-mass conversion constant, 1 (32.174 (lbm-ft)/(lbf-s ²))	Subscript	
h	height, m (ft); or enthalpy, J/kg (Btu/lbm)	act	actual
J	dimensional constant, 1 (778 ft-lbf/Btu)	aed	aerodynamic
K	rotor viscous loss coefficient	av	average
k	sector number	bl	blading
L	kinetic energy loss, J/kg (Btu/lbm)	ck	choked
1	length, m (ft)	cl	clearance
М	Mach number	cr	critical
N	number of sectors at station 4	df	disk fraction
$N_{\rm bl}$	number of rotor blades (including splitters)	equ	equivalent
$N_{\rm s}$	specific speed; defined by eq. (B159)	f	friction
n	incidence exponent	hub	hub
P P	power, W (hp)	i	incidence
	pressure, N/m ² (psia)	id	ideal
$\stackrel{ ho}{Q}$	parameter defined by eq. (B166)	mx	maximum
R R	gas constant, J/kg-K (ft-lbf/lbm-°R)	opt	optimum
Re	Reynolds number; defined by eq. (B47)	p	primary
	radius, m (ft)	r	radial component
r T		ref	reference
TRQ	temperature, K (°R)	shr	shroud
U	torque, N-m (ft-lbf)	std	standard
v	tangential velocity, m/s (ft/s)	tip	tip
V	velocity in absolute reference frame, m/s (ft/s)	tot	total
W	velocity in relative reference frame, m/s (ft/s)	и	tangential component
WRK	work, J/kg (Btu/lbm)	X	axial component
w	flow rate, kg/s (lbm/s)	0,1,2,	station numbers defined by fig. 1
α	fluid flow angle in absolute frame of refer-	3,4,5	
	ence; or blading angle, deg	Superscri	ipts:
β	fluid flow angle in relative frame of reference; or blading angle, deg	()'	total conditions in absolute reference frame
~	ratio of specific heats	()''	total conditions in relative reference frame
γ δ	parameter defined by eq. (B156)	()	mass averaged
•	parameter defined by eq. (D130)	, ,	mana arei agea

Appendix B Equations

Main Program (MAINP)

The analysis of the flow through the turbine starts at the stator exit (station 1) for each specified value of $(V/V_{\rm cr})_1$. Flow conditions are then calculated at station 0 and at stations 2 to 5. The procedure is described in this appendix.

Station 1-primary flow. - Total temperature at station 1 is assumed to be equal to that at station 0. Thus

$$T'_{1,p} = T'_{0,p}$$
 (B1)

The maximum value of primary flow per unit area $[(\rho V)_{1,p,mx}]$ and the value of $(V/V_{cr})_1$ where that maximum occurs $[(V/V_{cr})_{1,p,mx}]$ are calculated by subroutine MAXVAL. If the total pressure drop through the stator (station 0 to station 1) is modeled by specifying the total pressure ratio p_1'/p_0' , $(\rho V)_{1,p,mx}$ occurs at $(V/V_{cr})_{1,p,mx} = 1.0$. If the total pressure drop is modeled by specifying e_{3D} , it occurs at $(V/V_{cr})_{1,p,mx} < 1.0$. If p_1'/p_0' is specified, total pressure at station 1 is calculated from

$$p'_{1,p} = \left(\frac{p'_1}{p'_0}\right) p'_{0,p} \tag{B2}$$

and the three-dimensional kinetic energy loss coefficient e_{3D} is obtained from

$$e_{3D} = \frac{\left(\frac{p_{1}'}{p_{0}'}\right)^{\frac{(\gamma-1)}{\gamma}} \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}}\right)_{1}^{2}\right] + \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}}\right)_{1}^{2} - 1}{\left(\frac{p_{1}'}{p_{0}'}\right)^{\frac{(\gamma-1)}{\gamma}} \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}}\right)_{1}^{2}\right] - 1}$$
(B3)

If e_{3D} is specified,

$$p'_{1,p} = p'_{0,p} \left\{ \frac{1 - e_{3D} - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}}\right)_{1,p}^{2}}{(1 - e_{3D}) \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}}\right)_{1,p}^{2}\right]} \right\}^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$

Both methods of calculating the total pressure drop are equivalent to specifying an overall viscous loss that takes into account the vane profile, endwall, and secondary flow losses.

From the isentropic relationships

$$p_{1,p} = p_{1,p}' \left\{ 1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{\text{cr}}} \right)_{1,p}^2 \right\}^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B5)

$$T_{1,p} = T'_{1,p} \left\{ 1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_{1,p}^2 \right\}$$
 (B6)

and

$$\rho_{1,p} = \frac{p_{1,p}}{RT_{1,p}} \tag{B7}$$

$$V_{1,p} = \left(\frac{V}{V_{ct}}\right)_{1,p} \left(\frac{2\gamma g_c R T_{1,p}'}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{1/2}$$
 (B8)

For values of $(V/V_{\rm cr})_{1,p}$ less than $(V/V_{\rm cr})_{1,p,mx}$ the primary flow exits at the specified stator exit blade angle α_1 . Thus

$$w_{1,p} = \rho_{1,p} V_{1,p} A_1 (1 - \text{CLFR1}) \cos \alpha_{1,p}$$
 (B9)

For values of $(V/V_{\rm cr})_{1,p}$ greater than $(V/V_{\rm cr})_{1,p,mx}$ (choked flow) the exit angle is decreased to maintain maximum primary flow rate. The choked-flow exit angle is

$$\alpha_{1,p,ck} = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{w_{p,mx}}{\rho_{1,p} V_{1,p} A_1 (1 - CLFR1)} \right\}$$
 (B10)

The radial and axial components of the primary flow are then defined by

$$V_{u,1,p} = V_{1,p} \sin \alpha_{1,p}$$
 (B11)

$$V_{r,1,p} = V_{1,p} \cos \alpha_{1,p}$$
 (B12)

Mach number is calculated from

(B4)

$$M_{1,p} = \left[\frac{\frac{2}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_{1,p}^{2}}{1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_{1,p}^{2}} \right]^{1/2}$$
(B13)

If the radial component of Mach number $(M_1 \cos \alpha_{1,p})$ is greater than 1.0, the specified $(V/V_{cr})_{1,p}$ is reduced until $M_{1,p} \cos \alpha_{1,p} = 1.0$ (defined as limit loading).

Station 1-clearance flow. - The clearance flow is assumed to have the same total and static conditions of temperature and pressure as the primary flow:

$$T'_{1,cl} = T'_{1,p}$$
 (B14)

$$T_{1,cl} = T_{1,p}$$
 (B15)

$$p'_{1,cl} = p'_{1,p}$$
 (B16)

$$p_{1,cl} = p_{1,p} (B17)$$

This implies that

$$V_{1,cl,cr} = V_{1,p,cr}$$
 (B18)

$$V_{1,cl} = V_{1,p}$$
 (B19)

$$\left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_{1,\rm cl} = \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_{1,p} \tag{B20}$$

$$\left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_{1,cl,mx} = \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_{1,p,mx} \tag{B21}$$

$$\rho_{1,c!} = \rho_{1,p} \tag{B22}$$

The flow angle $\alpha_{1,cl}$ and the flow rate $w_{1,cl}$ are determined iteratively from conservation of moment of tangential momentum between stations 0 and 1. The tangential component of velocity is obtained from

$$V_{u,1,cl} = \frac{r_0 V_{u,0}}{r_1}$$
 (B23)

The clearance flow angle and flow rate thus are

$$\alpha_{1,cl} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{u,1,cl}}{V_{1,cl}}\right)$$
 (B24)

$$w_{1,cl} = \rho_{1,cl} V_{1,cl} A_1 \text{ CLFR1 cos } \alpha_{1,cl}$$
 (B25)

Since $\alpha_{1,cl}$ is uniquely defined by equation (B24), it cannot be changed to maintain the maximum clearance weight flow at values of $(V/V_{cr})_{1,cl}$ greater than $(V/V_{cr})_{1,cl,m}$. Clearance weight flow therefore decreases above $(V/V_{cr})_{1,cl,m}$.

From here on, all conditions at station 1 that are the same for both the primary and clearance flows $(T, T', p, p', V, V_{cr}, \text{ and } \rho)$ will have the subscripts p or cl deleted and will be identified only by the subscript 1.

Station 0. – Conditions at station 0 are evaluated from the specified geometry, inlet angle, and gas total conditions and by using mass continuity between stations 0 and 1. The ratio $(V/V_{cr})_0$ is determined iteratively from

$$\left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_0 = \frac{(w_{1,p} + w_{1,cl})RT_0'}{A_0 \cos \alpha_0 p_0' V_{0,cr} \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_0^2\right]^{1/(\gamma - 1)}}$$

(B26)

Also

$$p_0 = p_0' \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}} \right)_0^2 \right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B27)

$$T_0 = T_0' \left\{ 1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}} \right)_0^2 \right\}$$
 (B28)

$$\rho_0 = \frac{p_0}{RT_0} \tag{B29}$$

$$V_0 = \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_0 \left(\frac{2\gamma R g_c T_0'}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{1/2} \tag{B30}$$

$$V_{\mu,0} = V_0 \sin \alpha_0 \tag{B31}$$

$$V_{r,0} = V_0 \cos \alpha_0 \tag{B32}$$

Station 2. – The total temperature at station 2 is assumed to equal that at station 1

$$T_2' = T_1' \tag{B33}$$

and tangential momentum is conserved between stations 1 and 2. The tangential velocity is a mass-averaged value of the primary and clearance flows at station 1:

$$V_{u,2} = \frac{V_1}{w_{1,p} + w_{1,cl}} \left(w_{1,p} \sin \alpha_{1,p} + w_{1,cl} \sin \alpha_{1,cl} \right)$$
 (B34)

For no clearance flow this reduces to

$$V_{u,2} = V_1 \sin \alpha_{1,p} = V_{u,1} \tag{B35}$$

By using an initial guess for $V_{r,2}$, the conditions at station 2 are evaluated iteratively as follows:

$$V_2 = \left(V_{r,2}^2 + V_{\mu,2}^2\right)^{1/2} \tag{B36}$$

$$\left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_2 = \frac{V_2}{\left(\frac{2\gamma R g_c T_2'}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{1/2}}$$
 (B37)

$$T_2 = T_2' \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_2^2 \right]$$
 (B38)

$$p_2' = p_1' - \left(1 - \frac{V_{r,2}}{V_{r,1}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{0.5\rho_1 V_1^2}{g_c}\right)$$
 (B39)

$$p_2 = p_2' \left[1 - \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_2^2 \right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B40)

$$\rho_2 = \frac{p_2}{RT_2} \tag{B41}$$

$$\alpha_2 = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{r,2}}{V_2}\right) \tag{B42}$$

$$w_2 = \rho_2 V_2 A_2 \cos \alpha_2 \tag{B43}$$

The assumed $V_{r,2}$ is updated until continuity is satisfied; that is,

$$w_2 = w_{1,p} + w_{1,c1} (B44)$$

Station 3. – The total pressure drop between stations 2 and 3 is obtained from the laminar and turbulent equation for flow between parallel plates by using an average flow angle between stations 2 and 3. Furthermore, moment of tangential momentum is conserved $(r_2V_{u,2}=r_3V_{u,3})$. From an initial guess of α_3 an average turning angle, a hydraulic diameter, a Reynolds number, and a flow path length are calculated:

$$\alpha_{2-3} = \frac{\alpha_2 + \alpha_3}{2} \tag{B45}$$

$$D_h = 2h_1 \cos \alpha_{2-3} \tag{B46}$$

$$Re_2 = \frac{\rho_2 V_2 D_h}{\mu} \tag{B47}$$

$$l_{2-3} = \frac{r_1 - r_3}{\cos \alpha_{2-3}} \tag{B48}$$

Friction factor f is defined as follows:

$$f = 0.24$$
 for $Re_2 < 100$ (B49)

$$f = \frac{24}{\text{Re}_2}$$
 for $100 \le \text{Re}_2 < 3000$ (B50)

$$f = 3.3368 \times 10^{-7} \text{ Re}_2^{1.2596} \text{ for } 3000 \le \text{Re}_2 < 3700$$
 (B51)

$$f = 0.0014 + \frac{0.125}{Re_2^{0.32}}$$
 for $3700 \le Re_2$ (B52)

The change in total pressure and the total pressure at station 3 are obtained from

$$\Delta p' = \frac{4fl_{2-3}\rho_2 V_2^2}{2D_h g_c} \tag{B53}$$

$$p_3' = p_2' - \Delta p' \tag{B54}$$

$$T_1' = T_2' \tag{B55}$$

$$r_2 = r_1 \tag{B56}$$

and

$$V_{u,3} = \frac{r_2/r_3}{V_{u,2}} \tag{B57}$$

all other conditions at station 3 are evaluated from

$$V_3 = \frac{V_{u,3}}{\sin \alpha_3} \tag{B58}$$

$$T_3 = T_3' - V_3^2 \left(\frac{\gamma - 1}{2\gamma Rg_c}\right)$$
 (B59)

$$p_3 = p_3' \left(\frac{T_3}{T_3'}\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B60)

$$\rho_3 = \frac{\rho_3}{RT_3} \tag{B61}$$

$$V_{r,3} = \frac{V_{r,2}\rho_2 A_2}{\rho_3 A_3} \tag{B62}$$

Finally, a new exit angle

$$\alpha_3 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{u,3}}{V_{r,3}}\right) \tag{B63}$$

is calculated and compared with the previously used value. This procedure is repeated until successive values of α_3 are within a specified tolerance.

Relative conditions at station 3 are calculated from the following equations:

$$W_{u,3} = V_{u,3} - U_3 \tag{B64}$$

$$W_{r,3} = V_{r,3} \tag{B65}$$

$$W_3 = \left(W_{\mu_3}^2 + W_{\mu_3}^2\right)^{1/2} \tag{B66}$$

$$T_3'' = T_3' - \frac{\gamma - 1}{2\gamma Rg_c} \left(V_3^2 - W_3^2 \right)$$
 (B67)

$$p_{3}'' = p_{3}' \left(\frac{T_{3}''}{T_{3}'}\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
(B68)

$$\beta_3 = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{W_{u,3}}{W_3}\right) \tag{B69}$$

$$W_{\rm cr,3} = \left(\frac{2\gamma R g_c T_3^{\prime\prime}}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{1/2}$$
 (B70)

The rotor incidence angle (from optimum) is calculated as follows: the optimum $V_{u,3}$ is obtained from the Wiesner slip factor correlation (ref. 4), which, when adapted to a turbine geometry, takes the form

where

$$r_{4,av} = \frac{r_{4,hub} + r_{4,tip}}{2} \tag{B72}$$

$$\epsilon_{\lim} = \frac{1}{e^{(8.16\cos\alpha_{bl}/N_{bl})}}$$
 (B73)

The last term in the numerator of equation (B71) is a correction factor that is applied only if the ratio $r_{4,av}/r_3$ is greater than ϵ_{\lim} . Then

$$W_{u,3,\text{opt}} = V_{u,3,\text{opt}} - U_3$$
 (B74)

$$\beta_{3,\text{opt}} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{W_{u,3,\text{opt}}}{V_{r,3}}\right) \tag{B75}$$

$$\alpha_{3,i} = \beta_3 - \beta_{3,\text{opt}} \tag{B76}$$

The loss in total pressure due to incidence is calculated as follows: the incidence loss is modeled as in reference 2 by

$$L_i = \frac{W_3^2 (1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i})}{2g_c J}$$
 (B77)

where the exponent n is given by the input parameters PNEGI and PPOSI for negative and positive incidence, respectively. The loss due to incidence can also be expressed as a difference between ideal and actual velocity:

$$W_3^2 - W_{3,i}^2 = W_3^2 (1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i})$$
 (B78)

Solving for $W_{3,i}^2$ gives

$$W_{3,i}^2 = W_3^2 \cos^n \alpha_{3,i} \tag{B79}$$

The relationship

$$V_{u,3,\text{opt}} = U_3 \left(\frac{\left[1 - \sqrt{\cos \alpha_{\text{bl}}} / (N_{\text{bl}})^{0.7} \right] \left\{ 1 - \left[(r_{4,\text{av}} / r_3 - \epsilon_{\text{lim}}) / (1 - \epsilon_{\text{lim}}) \right]^3 \right\}}{1 - \tan \alpha_{\text{bl}} / \tan \alpha_3} \right)$$
(B71)

$$W_{3,i}^2 = \frac{2\gamma g_c R T_3''}{\gamma - 1} \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_3}{p_{3,i}''} \right)^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma} \right]$$
 (B80)

implies that

$$p_{3,i}^{"} = \frac{p_3}{\left[1 - \frac{(\gamma - 1)W_{3,i}^2}{2\gamma g_c R T_3^{"}}\right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}}$$
(B81)

Substituting equation (B79) for $W_{3,i}^2$ then gives

$$p_{3,i}'' = \frac{p_3}{\left[1 - \frac{(\gamma - 1)W_3^2 \cos^n \alpha_{3,i}}{2\gamma g_c R T_3''}\right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}}$$
(B82)

Station 4. – Flow conditions at station 4 are calculated by considering the effects of radius change, incidence, and viscous loss. By assuming an initial value of static pressure at the hub sector the pressure at each successive sector is obtained from simple radial equilibrium. The total mass flow of all sectors is then compared with the mass flow at station 1, and the next guess of hub-sector static pressure is changed accordingly. This is repeated until mass flow has converged within a given tolerance. The procedure is given here (with calculations performed for each sector at the midpoint radius).

The changes in total temperature, critical velocity, and ideal relative total pressure due to radius change are calculated from

$$T_4'' = T_3'' + \frac{\gamma - 1}{2\gamma Rg_C} \left(U_4^2 - U_3^2 \right)$$
 (B83)

$$W_{\rm cr,4} = W_{\rm cr,3} \left(\frac{T_4''}{T_3''}\right)^{1/2}$$
 (B84)

$$p_{4,id}'' = p_{3}'' \left(\frac{T_{4}''}{T_{3}''}\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma-1)}$$
(B85)

Note that the ideal relative total pressure at station 4 is based on the relative total pressure at station 3 and not on the relative total pressure due to incidence loss $p_{3,i}^{n}$. At station 3, $p_{3,i}^{n}$ was calculated for information purposes only. As will be shown, the relative total pressure at

station 4 p_4'' is obtained from $p_{4,id}''$ by considering the combined effects of incidence and rotor viscous loss.

The value of maximum flow rate per unit area $(\rho W)_{4,mx}$, as well as the value of $(W/W_{cr})_4$ where it occurs $[(W/W_{cr})_{4,mx}]$, is calculated by subroutine MAXVAL. The total relative pressure at station 4 is formulated as follows: the incidence loss is modeled by (see previous section)

$$L_i = \frac{W_3^2 (1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i})}{2g_c J}$$
 (B86)

and the loss due to viscous friction in the rotor (rotor blade profile, endwall, and secondary flow losses) is modeled as in reference 1 by

$$L_f = \frac{K(W_3^2 \cos^2 \alpha_{3,i} + W_4^2)}{2g_c J}$$
 (B87)

where K is the specified rotor viscous loss coefficient (input parameter XKR). The sum of these two losses is expressed as the difference between the squares of an ideal and an actual velocity to give

$$W_{4,id}^2 - W_4^2 = W_3^2 (1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i})$$

 $+ K(W_3^2 \cos^2 \alpha_{3,i} + W_4^2)$ (B88)

This equation can be solved for W_4

$$W_4 = \left[\frac{W_{4,id}^2 - W_3(1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i}) - KW_3^2 \cos^2 \alpha_{3,i}}{1 + K} \right]^{1/2}$$

with $W_{4,id}^2$ obtained from the relationship

$$W_{4,id}^2 = \frac{W_{cr,4}^2(\gamma+1)}{\gamma-1} \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_4}{p_{4,id}''} \right)^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma} \right]$$
 (B90)

For a given value of static pressure the relative velocity is thus calculated by equation (B89). Also,

$$T_4 = T_4'' - \frac{(\gamma - 1)W_4^2}{2\gamma Rg_c} \tag{B91}$$

(B89)

$$\rho_4 = \frac{p_4}{RT_4} \tag{B92}$$

$$p_4'' = p_4 \left(\frac{T_4''}{T_4}\right)^{\gamma \cdot (\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B93)

The static pressure at each radial sector above the hub sector is obtained from

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{\rho_4(k-1)\{[V(k-1)_{u,4} + V(k)_{u,4}]/2\}^2}{g_c r(k-1)_4}$$
(B94)

$$p_4(k) = p_4(k-1) + \frac{dp}{dr} \Delta r \tag{B95}$$

where k designates the given sector and (k-1) designates the sector immediately below it.

For $(W/W_{cr})_4$ less than $(W/W_{cr})_{4,mx}$ the flow follows the specified exit angle β_4 ; for $(W/W_{cr})_4$ greater than $(W/W_{cr})_{4,mx}$ the exit angle is decreased to maintain the maximum flow rate. The reduced exit angle is calculated from

$$\beta_4 = \cos^{-1} \left[\frac{(\rho W)_{4,\text{mx}}}{\rho_4 W_4 A_5 (1 - \text{BL4})} \right]$$
 (B96)

where BL4 is the ratio of the blocked area at station 4 to the free flow area at station 5. Weight flow and velocity components are calculated from

$$w_4 = \rho_4 W_4 A_5 (1 - BL4) \cos \beta_4$$
 (B97)

$$W_{u,4} = W_4 \sin \beta_4 \tag{B98}$$

$$W_{rA} = W_4 \cos \beta_4 \tag{B99}$$

If the rotor is fully choked (all sectors), the program solves for that value of stator $(V/V_{\rm cr})_1$ where rotor choke occurred. Also, the maximum value of station 4 hubsector static pressure for rotor choke is calculated and printed out. Once the rotor has fully choked, the hubsector static pressure is incrementally decreased by a specified amount (input parameter P4RDPC) until limit loading is achieved (axial Mach number equal to 1.0). The axial component of Mach number is calculated from

$$M_{x,4} = \left[\frac{\left(\frac{2}{\gamma+1}\right) \left(\frac{W}{W_{cr}}\right)_4^2}{1 - \left(\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma+1}\right) \left(\frac{W}{W_{cr}}\right)_4^2} \right]^{1/2} \cos \beta_4$$
 (B100)

It is not allowed to exceed 1.0. If it does, the value of hub-sector static pressure is adjusted until $M_{x,4}$ equals 1.0. That value of hub-sector static pressure is also printed out.

The absolute conditions are calculated from the relative conditions by

$$V_{u,4} = W_{u,4} + U_4 \tag{B101}$$

$$V_{x,4} = W_{x,4} \tag{B102}$$

$$V_4 = \left(V_{u,4}^2 + V_{x,4}^2\right)^{1/2} \tag{B103}$$

$$\alpha_4 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{u,4}}{V_{x,4}}\right) \tag{B104}$$

$$T_4' = T_4'' + \frac{(\gamma - 1)(V_4^2 - W_4^2)}{2\gamma Rg_c}$$
 (B105)

$$p_4' = \frac{p_4''}{\left(T_4''/T_4'\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma-1)}}$$
 (B106)

Station 5. – At station 5 the flow area is divided into the same sectors as at station 4. All calculations shown below are performed for each sector at the midpoint radius. The total temperature and tangential momentum at station 5 are assumed to be equal to those at station 4:

$$T_5' = T_4' \tag{B107}$$

$$V_{u.5} = V_{u.4} \tag{B108}$$

Equation (B107) implies that

$$V_{\rm cr,5} = V_{\rm cr,4}$$
 (B109)

From an initial guess of α_5 the flow conditions are established iteratively as follows:

$$V_5 = \frac{V_{u,5}}{\sin \alpha_5} \tag{B110}$$

$$\left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_5 = \frac{V_5}{V_{\rm cr,5}} \tag{B111}$$

$$T_5 = T_5' - (\gamma - 1) \frac{V_5^2}{2\gamma R g_C}$$
 (B112)

$$p_{5}' = p_{4}' - \left(1 - \frac{V_{5}\cos\alpha_{5}}{V_{x,4}}\right)^{2} \left(\frac{0.5\rho_{4}V_{4}^{2}}{g_{c}}\right)$$
(B113)

$$p_5 = p_5' \left[1 - \left(\frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \right) \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_5^2 \right]^{\gamma / (\gamma - 1)}$$
 (B114)

$$\rho_5 = \frac{p_5}{RT_5} \tag{B115}$$

$$V_{x,5} = \frac{V_{x,4}\rho_4 A_5 (1 - BL4)}{\rho_5 A_5}$$
 (B116)

A new exit angle is then calculated and compared with the previous value.

$$\alpha_5 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{u,5}}{V_{x,5}}\right) \tag{B117}$$

The procedure is repeated until successive values of α_5 are within a specified tolerance.

Performance parameters. – The performance parameters are calculated as follows: for each sector the static and total ideal enthalpy change from station 0 to station 5 is calculated from

$$\Delta h_{0-5} = \frac{\gamma R T_0'}{(\gamma - 1)J} \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_5}{p_0'} \right)^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma} \right]$$
 (B118)

$$\Delta h_{0-5}' = \frac{\gamma R T_0'}{(\gamma - 1)J} \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_5'}{p_0'} \right)^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma} \right]$$
 (B119)

Mass-averaged values of ideal enthalpy change, power, and torque are established from

$$w_{\text{tot}} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} w(k)$$
 (B120)

$$\Delta h_{0-5} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N} \Delta h(k)_{0-5} w(k)}{w_{\text{tot}}}$$
(B121)

$$h_{0-5}' = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N} \Delta h'(k)_{0-5} w(k)}{w_{\text{tot}}}$$
(B122)

$$P = \frac{w_{\text{tot}} J \Delta h_{0-5}'}{550}$$
 (B123)

$$TRQ = \frac{w_{\text{tot}} J \Delta h_{0-5}'(60)}{2\pi\Omega}$$
 (B124)

The change in total enthalpy across the rotor (station 3 to station 5) for each sector is calculated from

$$\Delta h_{3-5}' = \frac{U_3 V_{u,3} - U_4 V_{u,4}}{J g_c}$$
 (B125)

and its mass-averaged value, from

$$\Delta \bar{h}'_{3-5} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N} \Delta h'(k)_{3-5} w(k)}{w_{\text{tot}}}$$
 (B126)

The aerodynamic efficiencies for each sector are calculated from

$$\eta_{\text{aed}} = \frac{\Delta h_{3-5}'}{\Delta h_{0-5}} \tag{B127}$$

$$\eta_{\text{aed}}' = \frac{\Delta h_{3-5}'}{\Delta h_{0-5}'}$$
(B128)

Disk friction and exit tip clearance loss per unit mass flow are obtained from (ref. 3)

$$L_{\text{df}} = \frac{0.02125\rho_3 U_3^3 r_3^2}{g_c J_{w_{\text{tot}}} \left(\frac{\rho_3 U_3 r_3}{\mu}\right)^{0.20}}$$
(B129)

$$L_{cl} = \frac{2\Delta h_{3-5}' \left(\frac{h_{cl}}{2r_{4,tip}}\right)}{1 - \frac{r_{4,hub}}{r_{4,tip}}}$$
(B130)

Actual total enthalpy, actual power, and actual torque across the rotor are

$$\Delta h'_{act} = h'_{3-5} - L_{df} - L_{cl}$$
 (B131)

$$P_{\text{act}} = \frac{w_{\text{tot}} J \, \Delta h_{\text{act}}'}{550} \tag{B132}$$

$$TRQ_{act} = \frac{60w_{tot}J \Delta h'_{act}}{2\pi\Omega}$$
 (B133)

and actual overall efficiencies are

$$\eta = \frac{\Delta h'_{\text{act}}}{\Delta h_{0-5}} \tag{B134}$$

$$\eta' = \frac{\Delta h'_{\text{act}}}{\Delta h'_{0-5}} \tag{B135}$$

Mass-averaged static and total temperatures are calculated by

$$T_5 = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N} T(k)_5 w(k)}{w_{\text{tot}}}$$
 (B136)

$$T'_{5} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N} T'(k)_{5} w(k)}{w_{\text{tot}}}$$
 (B137)

Static pressures at the hub and shroud and average static and total pressures are obtained from

$$\left(\frac{dp}{dr}\right)_{\text{hub}} = \frac{\rho(1)_5 V^2(1)_{u,5}}{g_c r(1)_4}$$
 (B138)

$$\left(\frac{dp}{dr}\right)_{shr} = \frac{\rho(N)_5 V^2(N)_{u,5}}{g_c r(N)_4}$$
 (B139)

$$p_{5,\text{hub}} = p(1)_5 - \left(\frac{dp}{dr}\right)_{\text{hub}} \frac{\Delta r}{2}$$
 (B140)

$$p_{5,\text{Nhr}} = p(N)_5 + \left(\frac{dp}{dr}\right)_{\text{Shr}} \frac{\Delta r}{2}$$
 (B141)

$$p_{5,av} = \frac{p_{5,hub} + p_{5,shr}}{2}$$
 (B142)

$$p'_{5,av} = p_{5,av} \left(\frac{T'_5}{T_5}\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma-1)}$$
 (B143)

Equivalent parameters are calculated on the basis of the following standard conditions:

$$T'_{\text{std}} = 288.2 \text{ K (518.7 }^{\circ}\text{R)}$$
 (B144)

$$p'_{\text{std}} = 101 \ 325 \ \text{N/m}^2 \ (2116.22 \ \text{lbf/ft}^2)$$
 (B145)

$$R_{\text{std}} = 287.05 \text{ J/(kg-K)} (53.35 \text{ ft-lbf/lbm-}^{\circ}\text{R})$$
 (B146)

$$\gamma_{\text{std}} = 1.40 \tag{B147}$$

The equivalent parameters (flow, speed, work, power, torque, total-to-static pressure ratio, and total-to-total pressure ratio) are

$$w_{\rm equ} = \frac{w_{\rm tot} \sqrt{\theta_{\rm cr}\epsilon}}{\delta}$$
 (B148)

$$N_{\rm equ} = \frac{\Omega}{\sqrt{\theta_{\rm cr}}} \tag{B149}$$

$$WRK_{equ} = \frac{\Delta h'_{act}}{\theta_{cr}}$$
 (B150)

$$P_{\text{equ}} = \frac{P_{\text{act}}\epsilon}{\delta\sqrt{\theta_{\text{cr}}}}$$
 (B151)

$$TRQ_{equ} = \frac{TRQ_{act}\epsilon}{\delta}$$
 (B152)

$$\left(\frac{p_0'}{p_5}\right)_{\text{equ}} = \left[1 - \frac{(\gamma_{\text{std}} - 1)J \Delta h_{0-5}}{\theta_{\text{cr}}\gamma_{\text{std}}R_{\text{std}}T_{\text{std}}}\right]^{-\gamma_{\text{std}}/(\gamma_{\text{std}} - 1)}$$

(B153)

$$\left(\frac{p_0'}{p_5'}\right)_{\text{equ}} = \left[1 - \frac{(\gamma_{\text{std}} - 1)J \Delta h_{0-5}'}{\theta_{\text{cr}}\gamma_{\text{std}}R_{\text{std}}T_{\text{std}}}\right]^{-\gamma_{\text{std}}/(\gamma_{\text{std}} - 1)}$$

(B154)

where

$$\theta_{\rm cr} = \frac{\left(\frac{\gamma}{\gamma + 1}\right) R T_0'}{\left(\frac{\gamma_{\rm std}}{\gamma_{\rm std} + 1}\right) R_{\rm std} T_{\rm std}'}$$
(B155)

$$\delta = \frac{p_0'}{p_{\text{std}}'} \tag{B156}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{\gamma_{\text{std}} \left(\frac{2}{\gamma_{\text{std}} + 1}\right)^{\gamma_{\text{std}}/(\gamma_{\text{std}} - 1)}}{\gamma \left(\frac{2}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}}$$
(B157)

The overall dimensionless parameters of specific speed, specific diameter, work factor, and loading coefficient (blade-jet speed ratio) are defined as follows:

$$\rho_{5,av} = \frac{p_{5,av}}{RT_{5,av}}$$
 (B158)

$$N_s = \frac{\left(\frac{2\pi\Omega}{60}\right) \left(\frac{w_{\text{tot}}}{\rho_{5,\text{av}}}\right)^{1/2}}{(g_c J \, \Delta h_{0-5}')^{0.75}}$$
(B159)

$$D_s = \frac{2r_3(g_c J \Delta h_{0-5}^{\prime})^{0.25}}{(w_{101}/\rho_{5,av})^{1/2}}$$
 (B160)

$$\psi = \frac{g_c J \ \Delta h_{3-5}'}{U_3^2} \tag{B161}$$

$$\nu = \frac{U_3}{(2g_c J \ \Delta h_{0-5})^{1/2}}$$
 (B162)

Subroutine MAXVAL

Subroutine MAXVAL finds the maximum value of a function over an interval. The chosen function must be of a form such that a maximum exists within the interval (other than at the end points). MAXVAL is used to calculate the maximum values of flow rate per unit area at the stator exit $(\rho V)_1$ and rotor exit $(\rho W)_4$ sectors. The actual mass flow calculations are performed by the called subroutines ROVST and ROVROT for the stator and rotor, respectively. Given the interval, the function to be maximized, and an initial number of divisions of the interval, MAXVAL determines the function's maximum value and its location in the interval.

Subroutine ROVST

Subroutine ROVST calculates the value of density times velocity at the stator exit (station 1) for the assumed stator loss model and a specified $(V/V_{\rm cr})_1$. The formulation is as follows:

$$V_{\rm cr,1} = \left(\frac{2\gamma R g_{\rm c} T_1'}{\gamma + 1}\right)^{1/2} \tag{B163}$$

$$V_1 = \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_1 V_{\rm cr,1} \tag{B164}$$

$$T_1 = T_1' \left[1 - \left(\frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \right) \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_1^2 \right]$$
 (B165)

$$Q = \left(\frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1}\right) \left(\frac{V}{V_{\rm cr}}\right)_{1}^{2} \tag{B166}$$

If the total pressure at station 1 is calculated by specifying IOPTS = 1 (specifying the pressure ratio p_1'/p_0'),

$$p_1' = \left(\frac{p_1'}{p_0'}\right) p_0' \tag{B167}$$

If the total pressure at station 1 is calculated by specifying IOPTS = 2 (specifying e_{3D}),

$$p_1' = p_0' \left[\frac{1 - e_{3D} - Q}{(1 - e_{3D})(1 - Q)} \right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
(B168)

Finally,

$$p_1 = p_1' \left[1 - \left(\frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma + 1} \right) \left(\frac{V}{V_{cr}} \right)_1^2 \right]^{\gamma/(\gamma - 1)}$$
(B169)

$$\rho_1 = \frac{p_1}{RT_1} \tag{B170}$$

$$\rho V = \rho_1 V_1 \tag{B171}$$

Subroutine ROVROT

Subroutine ROVROT calculates the value of density times velocity at the rotor exit sectors (station 4) for the assumed rotor loss model and a specified $(W/W_{\rm cr})_4$. The equations used are as follows:

$$W_4 = \left(\frac{W}{W_{\rm cr}}\right)_A W_{\rm cr,4} \tag{B172}$$

$$T_4 = T_4'' - \frac{(\gamma - 1)W_4^2}{2\gamma g_c R}$$
 (B173)

The static pressure is calculated from equation (B88), which expresses the sum of the two rotor losses (incidence and viscous friction) as the difference between the squares of an ideal and an actual velocity

$$W_{4,id}^2 - W_4^2 = W_3^2 (1 - \cos^n \alpha_{3,i})$$

Then

$$+K(W_3^2\cos^2\alpha_{3,i}+W_4^2)$$
 (B174)

By using

$$W_{4,id}^2 = \left(\frac{\gamma + 1}{\gamma - 1}\right) W_{cr,4}^2 \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_4}{p_{4,id}^{\prime\prime}}\right)^{(\gamma - 1)/\gamma}\right]$$
 (B175)
$$\rho_4 = \frac{p_4}{RT_4}$$

$$\rho V = \rho_4 W_4 \tag{B180}$$

$$W_{\frac{3}{4}}^2 = \left(\frac{\gamma+1}{\gamma-1}\right) W_{\text{cr},4}^2 \left[1 - \left(\frac{p_4}{p_4''}\right)^{(\gamma-1)/\gamma}\right]$$
 (B176)

equation (B174) can be rewritten as

$$p_{4}'' = p_{4,id}'' \left[\frac{\left(\frac{\gamma+1}{\gamma-1}\right) - \left(\frac{W_{4}}{W_{4,cr}}\right)^{2} (1+K) - K\left(\frac{W_{3}}{W_{4,cr}}\right)^{2} \cos^{2}\alpha_{3,i} - \left(\frac{W_{3}}{W_{4,cr}}\right)^{2} (1-\cos^{n}\alpha_{3,i})}{\left(\frac{\gamma+1}{\gamma-1}\right) - \left(\frac{W_{4}}{W_{cr,4}}\right)^{2}} \right]$$
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